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**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Examiner: Samuel A. Barts

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Re: Application of: Donald KYLE, et al.

Serial No.: 09/730,814

Filed: December 6, 2000

For: **TERTIARY AMINO COMPOUNDS HAVING  
OPIOID RECEPTOR AFFINITY**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 21, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 23, 2004 for one (1) month from April 23, 2004 to May 23, 2004.

A check for \$880.00 is enclosed of which \$110.00 is for the one (1) month extension fee. If it is determined that any additional fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Respectfully submitted,

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